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**Attachments:** 2020.01.16 FINAL Petition for Emergency Action Pursuant to the Safe Drinking Water Act.pdf

Hi Dave,

Would you be available to talk briefly this Wednesday at 11:30am – probably 30 minutes or less?

I am copying Karen Burgess and Adam Baron for coordination with our Water Division and upcoming ETT quarterly discussion.

EPA is reviewing the attached petition related to the Lower Umatilla Basin GWMA regarding public health concerns from nitrate in drinking water. I would like to make sure EPA understands OHA's role and authorities as we evaluate the petition. I understand ODEQ is the lead for the GWMA. We will also be contacting DEQ and ODA.

Thanks,

Peter



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